of work.

Funds for expense said superintendent, and the said supervisor shall draw an order upon the county treasurer for such sum of money as in his judgment may be necessary to perform such work, and said order shall be countersigned by the superintendent of roads and shall be submitted to the chairman of the board of commissioners or to some member thereof for his approval, and if the same shall be approved the county treasurer shall pay the amount named in said order to the said supervisor and charge the amount thereof to the township within which the work is to be done, and the said supervisor shall use said funds in the payment of the hands engaged upon such work, and within ten days after the completion of said work he shall file an itemized statement of the funds expended by him with the clerk of the board of commissioners, and shall turn over to the county treasurer any balance which remains in his hands of the funds so obtained, and the treasurer shall credit the road account of the township from which the funds were drawn. The said itemized statement shall be submitted to and passed upon by the said board of commissioners at the meeting to be held next after the same shall be filed with the clerk and shall be audited by said board and approved or disapproved, and if the same be disapproved the bond of the said supervisor shall be held liable thereunder. If any supervisor shall willfully file a false account with the clerk of said board he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined or imprisoned in the discretion of the court, or both.

Sec. 27. In case the said superintendent of roads shall deem

it expedient or advisable to let out the construction or repairing of any road or portion of road or the building of any bridge to contract, he shall cause a contract to be drawn up in writing, specify-

ing therein particularly the work to be done and the manner of its execution and the price to be paid therefor, which said contract shall

be submitted to the board of commissioners of the county of

Robeson, and in case the same shall be approved by them it shall be executed by the contractor and by the chairman of the board of commissioners. Before any money shall be paid to the contractor on account of work done under such contract, the work so done

shall be thoroughly inspected by the superintendent of roads and

shall be accepted by him, and no sum shall be paid to any contractor except upon the written order of the superintendent of roads approved by the board of commissioners. The said board shall cause such contractor, before entering upon the execution of

such work, to enter into bond with good and sufficient sureties in such sum as may be decided upon by said board, conditioned for the faithful performance and discharge of his duties and obliga-

County commis-sioners to pass on

Itemized statement.

False account a misdemeanor.

Penalty.

statement.

Roads let to contract.

Specifications of contract.

Contract submitted to commissioners.

Work inspected and approved before payment.

Contractor to give bond.

SEC. 28. All public roads within the county of Robeson shall be not more than forty nor less than twenty feet wide, and the superintendent of roads, subject at all times to the control and direction

tions under such contract.

Width of roads.